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In re Application of: Tadatomo et al.
 Application No. 09/936,683
 Filed: November 30, 2001
 For: SEMICONDUCTOR BASE AND ITS MANUFACTURING METHOD, AND
 SEMICONDUCTOR CRYSTAL MANUFACTURING METHOD

2824 PATENT
 Attorney Docket No. 213578
 Date: October 11, 2002

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Restriction Requirement in the subject application.

Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition For Extension Of Time

- Applicants petition for a extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$ (enclosed).
- Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

No additional claim fee is required.

Other:

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

				SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDT. CLAIM FEE
TOTAL	21	MINUS	21	=0	x 9=	\$	x 18= \$0.00
INDEPENDENT	5	MINUS	5	=0	x 40=	\$	x 80= \$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM				+ 135=	\$	+ 270=	\$0.00
				TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$0.00

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- Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 18, 2002, please consider the following remarks.

REMARKS

The Office Action sets forth a restriction requirement between the following groups of claims: (I) claims 11-21 (process), and (II) claims 1-10 (product).

Applicants elect, without traverse, claims 1-10 of Group (II) for examination.

If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney.

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I hereby certify that this RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT (along with any documents referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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